

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application

Inventors:

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Karl Kenna, Reg. No. 45,445 Signature Date: November 29, 2004

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In the Office Action dated July 27, 2004, a shortened period for response was set to expire on October 27, 2004.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) the Commissioner for an extension of time for responding to the Office Action up to and including November 29, 2004.

Applicant(s) hereby claim small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

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The amount of the petition fee set by 37 C.F.R. §1.17 is determined as follows:

Fee (Large Entity/Small Entity)	Extended Month
<u>✓</u> \$ 110.00/\$ 55.00	First
\$ 430.00/\$215.00	Second
\$ 980.00/\$490.00	Third
\$1,530.00/\$765.00	Fourth
\$2,080.00/\$1,040.00	Fifth

TOTAL PETITION FEE \$110.00.

The TOTAL PETITION FEE is included with the payment of other papers filed together with this petition.

	The other papers enclosed or associated with this communication include:
	A reply to the Office Action was previously filed on
✓	_ A reply to the Office Action is filed herewith.
	_ A reply will be filed subsequently.
	_ A continuation application is filed herewith.
	_ A divisional application is filed herewith.
	A continuation-in-part application is filed herewith.
	_ A continued prosecution application is filed herewith.
·	_ A Request for Continued Examination is filed herewith.
	_ "Small Entity" status for this application has previously been established.
✓	Other: Terminal Disclaimer Transmittal Letter; Terminal Disclaimer and Certificate

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1325. A duplicate copy of this authorization is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: Devende 29, 2004

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